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UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3)**

Sir:

Applicants submit this communication and the attached Form PTO-1449 in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98. A copy of each of the documents listed on the Form PTO-1449 is enclosed as part of this communication.

Applicants wish to bring to the Examiner's attention that in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on October 25, 2001, Applicants submitted copies of only the Abstracts for the

these references. Therefore, Applicants are now providing herewith copies of the full articles for each of the references.

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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits according to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3). Therefore, no fee is due with this paper. However, should any fee be deemed necessary with this filing, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 23-1703.

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Respectfully submitted,

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